

October 16, 2019

WHAT'S COMING UP

October-November

**General Campaign
Hidalgo County Directors Mtg.
Kendra Scott Gives Back Event
November 23, 4-6pm
Contact Taylor for a Reservation!**

December

**City of McAllen Holiday Parade
December 6th-7th
Volunteers Sign up at
www.volunteersotx.org**

VITA Trainings

We are looking for VITA volunteers to prepare income tax returns for local families.

Training/Intro to VITA (5:30-7:30 p.m.)

Nov. 14, 2019
Nov. 18, 2019

VITA Certification (8 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

Only for Site Coordinators
December 7, 2019

VITA Certification (8 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

Jan. 4, 2020
Jan. 11, 2020
Jan. 18, 2020
Jan. 25, 2020

2019 United Way of South Texas Campaign Highlights

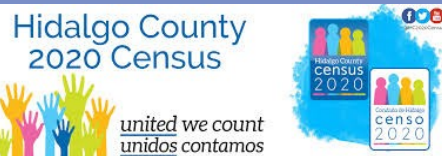
Thank you supporters and volunteers! United Way of South Texas has completed approximately 1500 campaign presentations at companies, schools, municipalities, counties and agencies.

The 2019 Campaign Co-Chairs D'Andre Drain, GE Aviation, and Lisa Killion, South Texas Health System, and the Board thank the following Pacesetter Companies for scheduling their Employee Campaigns or for making their corporate gifts in August: AT&T, Aurora House Foundation, BBVA, Boys and Girls Clubs of Edinburg, Boys and Girls Club of Pharr/ San Juan, Boy Scouts of

America, Children's Advocacy Center, CASA, City of Donna, City of Edinburg, City of McAllen, City of Rio Grande City, Community Council of the RGV, Comfort House, Edcouch-Elsa I.S.D., Edinburg C.I.S.D., Falcon Bank, Frost Bank, Girls Scouts of Greater South TX, H-E-B & H-E-B RSC, IBC Bank, La Joya I.S.D., Law Office of Hilda G. Garza, Law Office of Mark Freeland, Magic Valley Electric Cop, McAllen I.S.D., Mercedes I.S.D., Mission C.I.S.D., Monte Alto I.S.D., NavyArmy CCU, PSJA I.S.D., Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Region One ESC, Rexnord, Rio Grande City C.I.S.D., Roma I.S.D., Sam's Club, Serving Children & Adults in Need, Sharyland I.S.D., South Texas I.S.D., South Texas Federal Credit Union, Starr County, Starr County Memorial Hospital, Su Casa de Esperanza, Target Stores, The Salvation Army, United Way of South Texas, United Parcel Service (UPS), Walmart Stores, Walmart Neighborhood Market, Wells Fargo and Weslaco I.S.D.

The momentum continues as other companies continue to kick-off this fall: AEP Texas, City of Mercedes, Dillard's, GE Aviation, Greater State Bank, Hidalgo County, IBC Bank, La Villa ISD, NuStar Energy, PlainsCapital Bank, S&B Infrastructure, Security Service FCU, South Texas Health System, Sprint, Superior Health, Texas Gas Service, Texas National Bank, Texas Regional Bank, Vantage Bank Texas.

If your company has not scheduled presentations for the 2019 Campaign, it is not too late. Join other Community Leaders and help ensure that United Way makes the greatest impact through critical community services for over 220,000 residents in Hidalgo and Starr Counties.



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The United Way of South Texas Education Council met in early September and distributed \$40,000 to the following School Districts: Edcouch-Elsa I.S.D., La Joya I.S.D., McAllen I.S.D., Mercedes I.S.D., Monte Alto I.S.D., Rio Grande City C.I.S.D., Roma I.S.D., and Weslaco I.S.D. The school districts use the grants to assist students and families who face extraordinary challenges and to fund Food Pantries. Thanks to our Supporters, Counselors also provide drop-out recovery assistance and food for food pantries at La Joya I.S.D., Monte Alto I.S.D., Mercedes I.S.D., and Roma I.S.D.